

SURA® COASTAL RESEARCH COMMITTEE
JEFFERSON LAB – CEBAF CENTER, ROOM B207
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2008
9:30AM– 4:30PM

Registration opens at 8:30am in the Lobby of CEBAF Center. The Board’s plenary session will begin at 10:30am. All meeting attendees are invited to join the Board plenary sessions and all Board activities during this meeting. Briefing materials may be picked up at the registration desk.

Conference Bridge for Coastal Research Committee Meeting: 1-800-377-8846; Access Code: 60179470#

Meeting Goals:

- Review and refine the capabilities demonstrated by the updated Open IOOS web site to ensure that it serves the needs of CRC members
- Review the changing landscape with respect to coastal observing
- Develop a more comprehensive education plan for the DCL that includes both university and K-12 levels and is consistent with the overarching SURA mission
- Agree on appropriate funding strategies for SURA Coastal activities including SCOOP and DCL: (Federal agencies, foundations, industry, and endowment?)
- Identify key scientific drivers for guiding the DCL and nominate prominent leaders and advocates to advance each of the themes identified by serving as “chief scientists”

8:30 AM-10:15 AM Convene Meeting of the Coastal Research Committee

8:30 Welcome and Opening Remarks- Carolyn Thoroughgood, Chair, CRC
8:45-9:00 Overview of the Distributed Coastal Laboratory Concept – Don Wright
9:00- 9:20 Tour of the SCOOP Demo and new OpenIOOS site - Philip Bogden
9:20-9:45 Initiatives in coastal education: demonstration of UF education appliance- Renato Figueiredo
9:45-10:15 Open discussion; questions and answers
10:15 Break

10:30 Board Plenary Session I (CEBAF Center, F113)

Noon Luncheon

1:00 PM-4:15 PM Resume Coastal Research Committee Meeting

1:00-1:30 Discussion: What is the present and anticipated state of coastal observing in the Southeast region with respect to assets and funding?
1:30-2:00 Discussion: What are the appropriate science drivers for a community oriented DCL that will enable us to do collectively what universities, RA s and NFRA cannot do? Who are possible “chief scientists” for areas identified and how can we engage them?
2:00-2:30 Discussion: How can and should the DCL advance education at various levels?
2:30-2:45 Break
2:45-3:15 How does Modeling and Analysis within the DCL relate to IOOS and other funding opportunities? - Christopher Mooers
3:15-4:15 General Discussion and Wrap Up
4:15 Adjourn

4:30 Jefferson Lab Tour

6:00-7:30 Jefferson Lab Poster Session and Board Reception
